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1. SHOULD AMBASSADOR SULLIVAN AGAIN HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS WITH FOREIGN MINISTER KHALATBARY THE POSSIBILITY OF THE SHAH'S MAKING A STATE VISIT TO AFGHANISTAN, I RECOMMEND THAT HE STRONGLY ENCOURAGE THIS IDEA.

2. IN VIEW OF THE GRADUALLY UNRAVELING NATURE OF CURRENT AFGHAN-IRANIAN RELATIONS (E.G., THE AFGHANS' DISENCHANTMENT OVER WHAT THEY REGARD AS IRANIAN RENEGING ON PROMISED ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE -- OR THE QUIET, BUT INTENSE DISPUTE OVER THE LOCATION OF A SEGMENT OF BORDER NEAR ISLAM QALA), AN IMPERIAL VISIT TO KABUL IN THE NEAR FUTURE MIGHT WELL SERVE THE RESPECTIVE INTERESTS OF THE TWO SIDES -- AND OUR INTEREST IN THE ENHANCEMENT OF REGIONAL STABILITY AS WELL. SPECIFIC BENEFITS COULD FLOW FROM SUCH A MEETING, SUCH AS CONCRETE IRANIAN ACTION ON THE PROPOSED KANDAHAR CEMENT PLANT, OR THE AFGHAN RAILWAY.
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